## 248091US2S DIV

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF:

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SERIAL NO: NEW DIV APPLICATION

FILED: HEREWITH

FOR: DATA PROCESSING METHOD AND APPARATUS, RECORDING MEDIUM, REPRODUCING METHOD AND APPARATUS USING THE SAME METHOD

## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313

SIR:

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified divisional application as follows:

Amendment to the Specification begins on page 2.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.